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RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS

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Sir:

In response to the Notification of Missing Requirements, dated 2nd September 2005, the following are enclosed for appropriate action:

- Petition for Extension of Time of 1 month up to and including 2nd December 2005
- Preliminary Amendment and replacement specification;
- Copy of Notification of Missing Requirements; and
- Declaration and Power of Attorney executed by the inventor.
- Please charge Deposit Account No. 08-3038, referencing the above docket number, in the amount of \$ 250 to cover the fees calculated below.

CALCULATION OF FEES:

			Other than Small Entity	
Total Claims	- 20	=	x \$ 18.00	= \$
Independent Claims	- 3	=	x \$ 84.00	= \$
First Multiply Dependent Claim Presented			+ \$ 360.00	=
Basic Fee			+ \$ 750.00	= \$
Surcharge for late filing				= \$ 130
Recordation fee for the enclosed Assignment				= \$
Extension of time fee				= \$ 120
			TOTAL = \$ 250	

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 08-3038, referencing the above docket number. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Any extension of time that may be deemed necessary to further the prosecution of this application is hereby requested. In order to promote the prosecution of this application, the Examiner is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned by telephone at the number indicated below.

Respectfully submitted,

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